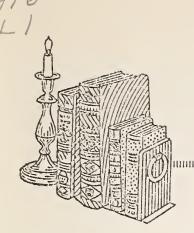
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# NEW BOOKS

AMERICAN WILDLIFE & PLANTS; A BUIDE TO WILDLIFE FOOD HABITS: THE USE OF TREES, SHRUBS, WEEDS AND HERBS BY BIRDS AND MAMMALS OF THE UNITED STATES, By A. C. Martin, H. S. Zim, and A. L. Nelson. McGraw-Hill, 1951. 500 p. 60 m36

This book supplies a long-felt need for a comprehensive reference on wild-life food habits. Arranged for easy reference is information on hundreds of birds, mammals, and wildlife plants, on wildlife food habits in different seasons and regions, and on the relative importance of various plants to birds and mammals. Related notes on range, habitat, and distinctive traits are included. The book brings together the accumulated data on food habit studies made by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service since 1885.

THE ART OF ADMINISTRATION, By Ordway Tead. McGraw-Hill, 1951. 223 p. 249 T22A

The what, why and how of administrative work in relation to leadership, personal power, authority, and coordination in top management. Among the topics covered are the fundamental aims and purposes which every large organization is designed to serve; administration's part in democratic leadership; the educational function of administration; the personal aspects of administration which are effective in achieving collective cooperation and coordination. The book will be of practical value to executives, administrators, public officials - to everyone in a position of leadership.

THE CONSERVATION OF GROUND WATER; A SURVEY OF THE PRESENT GROUND-WATER SITUATION IN THE UNITED STATES, By H. E. Thomas. McGraw-Hill, 1951. 327 p. 292 T36

Here are the results of a survey bringing together and analyzing all the available information on the development and use of ground-water throughout the United States. The book reviews basic hydrologic principles and data, and supplies in outline and inventory of our total water resources. It describes the experience with ground-water development in 70 odd problem areas and the measures for each area which improve the situation. Hydrologists, geologists, engineers, and others concerned with the problems of ground-water supply will find this an authoritative discussion of the natural and legal factors connected with ground-water development and use.

FORAGES; THE SCIENCE OF GRASSLAND AGRICULTURE, edited by H. D. Hughes, M. E. Heath and D. S. Metcalfe. Iowa State College Press, 1951. 724 p. 60 H87

Farmers, agronomists, research workers will find in this book complete and authoritative answers to the problems of how to grow more and better forages and how to make pastures and meadows more productive. The how-to-do-it information is backed up by field-tested experience and by the research men who have devoted their lives to grassland agriculture. The soils and forages of each agricultural area in the L. S. are discussed by men living and working in these areas.

FORESTS AND LEN By .. B. Greeley. Doubleday, 1951. 255 p. 99.04 G81

This is a well-written account of the knowledge and experience of U. S. Forester Greeley in the long fight from 1910 to date for enlightened use of our timber resources. The book opens with a personal description of the fierce, dramatic 1910 forest fire in the Bitterroots, but most of the volume is devoted to the history of lumbering, picturesque lumbering methods, development of organized resistance to misuse of timber, and present-day conservation and lumber technological advances.

HOW FO WRITE A SPEECH, By E. J. Hegarty. McGraw-Hill, 1951. 222 p. 200.4 H36

A "how-to" book on the planning, writing, and delivery of a speech. The author suggests an over-all plan of procedure, beginning with the writing of a synopsis of the speech and making a layout on paper. A detailed check list provides a handy means of catching errors and omissions. Mr. Hegarty believes that by following a simple formula anyone who can talk can make an effective speech. This book contains that formula.

IRRIGATION ENGINEERING. Vol. 1 AGRICULTURAL AND HYDROLOGICAL PHASES, By I. E. Houk. Wiley, 1951. 945 p.

A detailed picture of irrigation principles with emphasis on engineering aspects. Special attention is given to advances made during the last few years on such subjects as soil moisture, wilting conditions, snow surveys, runoff forecasting, return flow, drainage recoveries, use of water by crops, consumptive use on large areas, irrigation efficiencies, quality of water, boron contents, salt constituents, erosion during irrigation, sprinkling irrigation, and other improved methods of applying water.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HORTICULTURE IS DIFFERENT; HOW TO MODIFY OUR CLIMATE TO FIT THE PLANTS AND HOW TO SELECT PLANTS TO FIT OUR CLIMATE, By G. W. Kelly. Green Thumb Council, 1951. 160 p. 90.3 K29

Written primarily to serve the gardeners of the Rocky Mountain region much of the material contained in this little book is applicable to the entire Southwest. It deals with planting, insects, diseases of plants, pruning, landscape design, flower lists suitable for various purposes and similar topics.

WESTERN WEED CONFERENCE. PROCEEDINGS OF THE TWELFTH ANNUAL MEETING. Denver, Colo., January 30, 31 and February 1, 1950. 149 p. 79.9 152.

Thirty papers on the weed problems of the West.

## PACKETS

In response to requests from our readers, packets on AMIMAL HUSBANDRY, CON-SERVATION FARMING, ENTOWOLOGY, FUBLIC OFF FILMS and WOOD PRESERVATION are being circulated. These are in addition to the subjects announced in the Sept.-Oct. 1951 Newsletter. Let us know if you wish to require packets on these subjects regularly.

The new packet service was described in the Sept.-Oct. 1951 Library News-letter. If you failed to receive that number write us for a copy.

The contents of the first packets on the subjects noted above are:

#### ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Artificial breeding of dairy cattle. Wash. State Col. Ext. Bul. 331
Control livestock pests for greater profits. N. Dak. Agr. Col. Ext. C. A-153
Control of hog lice. U.S.D.A. Leaflet No. 316
Control of lice and sheep ticks on sheep and goats. U.S.D.A. Leaflet No. 308
Crossbreeding beef cattle; a comparison of the Hereford and Aberdeen Angus
breeds and their reciprocal crosses. Ohio Agr. Exp. Sta. Res. Bul. 703
Livestock breeding research of the U.S. Range Livestock Experiment Station.
U.S.D.A. Agr. Infor. Bul. No. 18

#### CONSERVATION FARMING

A blade drill for seeding trashy fallow. Mont. Exp. Sta. Circ. 194
Community gains from conservation farming. U.S.D.A. P.A. 146
Diversion terraces. N. Y. Agr. Col. Cornell Ext. Bul. 808
Effect of tillage method on soil and moisture conservation in the plains area
of northern-Montana. Mont. Exp. Sta. Bul. 468
Sericea in conservation farming. U.S.D.A. Farmers' Bul. 2033

#### ENTOMOLOGY

Application of concentrated spray with hand equipment. U.S. Bur. of Ent. & Plant Quar. E-824

DDT for control of wireworms in irrigated lands. U.S. Bur. of Ent. & Plant Quar. EC-19

Field-plot tosts of insecticides against the Egyptian alfalfa weevil on alfalfa in Southern Arizona, 1950. U.S. Bur. of Ent. & Plant Quar. E-825 Fruit pests . . . their control in Colorado. Colo. Ext. Bul. 416-A

The pine tip moth - how to recognize and control it. Okla. Agr. Exp. Sta.

Bul. Nc. B-377

The western pine beetle. U.S.D.A. Circ. No. 864

News writing. Okla. Ext. Serv. Circ. 559

#### PUBLIC RELATIONS

After all, it's the way you serve people. U.S. Ext. Serv. 1.913 I2Af8

Effective communication in industry. Natl. Assn. of Man. U.B. Train.

Nays and means of improving employer-employee understanding and cooperation.

Getting your ideas across through writing. U.S. Fed. Sec. Agency. Training

Manual No. 7. U.B. Train.

How are we doing in public relations. U.S. Ext. Serv. U.B. Train.

Lettering for extension visual aids. U.S.D.A. Agr. Handbk No. 22. 1 Ag84Ah

#### WOOD PRESERVATION

Before you build your barn. Dow Chemical Co.
Cold-soak wood preservation - simple, effective, inexpensive. Idaho Ext.
Bul. 187

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WOOD PRESERVATION (Cont'd)

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